

- the provision of suitable facilities for handling hazardous materials
- Recommendation 7 Her Majesty's Inspector recommends that any review in the near future of the role and structures for SOCOs should include:
- their relationship to the SSM
 - the effective development and communication of policy
 - call out procedures
 - lack of equipment
 - methods of communication
 - morale
 - personal development
- Recommendation 8 Her Majesty's Inspector recommends that the monitoring of monthly profiles as a means of screening forensic submissions should cease and that an alternative means of managing the budget should be sought.
- Recommendation 9 Her Majesty's Inspector recommends that all DCU Commanders and SIOs attend critical incident training
- Recommendation 10 Her Majesty's Inspector recommends that the PSNI Review team takes complete responsibility for the review process of all old and new cases

CHAPTER 7 CONCLUSION

- 7.1 The Police Service of Northern Ireland has a history and a present reality which is different from forces in England and Wales. To some extent because of that history, priorities have dictated that the investigation of murder has not had the resources and attention paid to it than elsewhere in the United Kingdom.